



Profile of Srisail Reddy Panjugula

Srisail was born in Inderched village of Ranga Reddy district in Andhra Pradesh. He has relocated from the UK to India and has joined in Telugu Desam Party in October 2008. He served in the manifesto committee 2009 and is now a member of the Party's EDP committee, Hyderabad Health Committee, Agriculture Co-ordination Committee, besides being a vice president of TSNV, a professional cell of TDP.

Srisail has studied Sociology, Telugu Literature and Public administration and has done his masters in Business IT Management from Manchester Metropolitan University, UK. He has worked for media organisations such as Data News Features and Eenadu. A CNA/MCSE, he worked for Wings Business Systems and karROX Technologies in India before moving to the UK in 2001.

Srisail has participated in various social/political movements in India and in the UK including Anti-death sentence campaign (Hyderabad, 1996), Anti-war protest (London, 2003), Make Poverty History (Edinburgh, 2005), Communal harmony campaign - Chak De Hyderabad (Hyderabad, 2007). Srisail is a co-founder of Friends of India - an independent, non-partisan, non-governmental organisation focusing on socio-economic and political issues facing India in general and Andhra Pradesh in particular. He is a member of the Liberal Democrats party in the UK and has visited the European Parliament in Brussels along with LibDem MEPs. He actively supports Oxfam, Amnesty International and Shared Earth.

An occasional writer and poet, Srisail has bagged an international award for his poem 'Peace', from International Library of Poetry, United States. Srisail is a co-founder of Dasya theatre, which performs political plays including Barbareekudu, Mahatma Jyotirao Phule and Ambedkar Varna Nirmulana Sidhantam. Srisail played two roles in Jyothirao Phule three roles in Varna Nirmulana Sidhantam. All his writings, pictures and videos are available at www.srisail.net

He also co-founded New Syllabus Literature, a publishing house which brought out books such as Nalla Gurrupu Nada, Ek Minar, Gulistan, Apurva Purana Kathalu and The Last Brahmin. Srisail's writings have featured in Vaartha, Andhra Jyothy, Prajatantra and the Manchester Evening News. Srisail has been a panelist for several TV programmes debating socio-political issues in the UK.

Srisail, 42, is married with a son and a daughter. He enjoys listening to music and loves cooking. Srisail's website is www.srisail.net and his blog is <http://manamyetuvaipu.blogspot.com>. He can be emailed at srisail@gmail.com

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